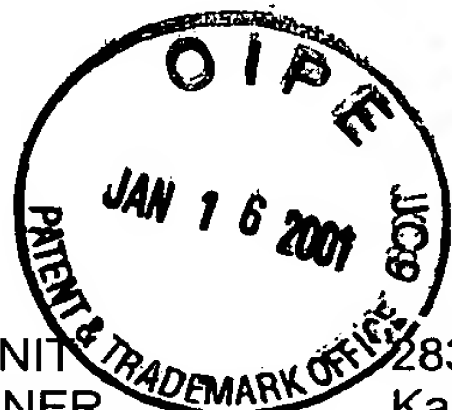


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**RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND  
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FEE CALCULATION FOR ENCLOSED RESPONSE and EXTENSION REQUEST (if any)							
	Claims Remaining		Highest No. Previously Paid		Number Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	21	-	21	=	0	\$18.00	00.00
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=	0	\$80.00	00.00
Surcharge For Multiple Dependent Claim First Added .....						+\$270.00	00.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant requests a ____ month extension of time for response to the outstanding Office Action. The <b>large entity</b> fee is .....							
TOTAL .....							00.00
<input type="checkbox"/> SMALL ENTITY STATUS (If applicable, divide TOTAL by 2) .....							
<input type="checkbox"/> Verified Statement enclosed, if not previously filed.							
<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction for Extension Fee of ____ months already paid .....							
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER: .....							00.00
TOTAL .....							00.00

- ☐ A check is enclosed to cover the fees as calculated above.
- ☐ The fees calculated above are to be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-2548.

If for some reason applicant has not requested a sufficient extension of time and/or has not paid a sufficient fee for this response and/or for the extension of time necessary to prevent the abandonment of this application, please consider this as a Request for an Extension for the required time period and/or an authorization to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2548 for any fee which may be due. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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